House Resolution No. 2735

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Del Thomas Gilbert of Dixon, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on May 17, 2008, at the Dixon Assembly of God Church; and

Whereas, Del, a member of Boy Scout Troop 187, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved removing old tree stumps and planting tree saplings at Dixon Nursing and Rehab; and

Whereas, during his seven years in Scouting, Del mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn twenty-four merit badges and membership in the Order of the Arrow and the Tribe of Lone Bear; and

Whereas, Del demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader, and Assistant Scoutmaster; and

Whereas, the son of Richard and Evelyn Burton, Del developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include working on Camp staff and attending seven summer camps; and

Whereas, Del's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Del Gilbert for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Del Thomas Gilbert.

Offered by	
	Representative David Day
	District No. 148
Ninety-four do certify the	on, Speaker of the House of Representatives, rth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, hat the above is a true and correct copy of House No. 2735, adopted May 7, 2008.
Rod Jetton.	Speaker